

Docket No. 6931

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our name

We believe we are an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

INHIBITING POLYMER OXIDATION USING NON-PHENOLIC ANTIOXIDANTS

the specification of which

(check one) X is attached hereto.

_____ was filed on _____ as
Application Serial No. _____
and was amended on _____, if applicable.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of an foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)			Priority Cla
_____	_____	_____	Yes _____
(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	
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_____	_____	_____	Yes _____
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the nation or PCT international filing date of this application:

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(Application Serial No.)	(Filing Date)	(Status-patented, pending, abandon
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I hereby appoint the following attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact business in the Patent and Trademark Office connection therewith:

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that the statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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